

	<b>EYFS Areas Covered</b> <b>Food technology</b> Structures Textiles	<b>KS1 Areas Covered</b> Food Structures Textiles Mechanisms	<b>KS2 Areas Covered</b> Textiles Mechanisms Food Structures Electrical Systems	<b>Upper KS2 Areas Covered</b> Textiles Food Structures Electrical Systems			
	<b>EYFS</b>	<b>Year 1</b>	<b>Year 2</b>	<b>Year 3</b>	<b>Year 4</b>	<b>Year 5</b>	<b>Year 6</b>
<b>Food Technology</b>	<u>Making smoothies</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Communicate designs through drawings and discussion</li> <li>Know that fruit forms part of a healthy diet</li> <li>Name common fruits</li> <li>Handle, smell and taste them</li> <li>Describe their appearance, taste, texture and aroma: sweet, sour, juicy, soft, hard, crunchy, crisp</li> <li>Identify the different parts: skin, flesh, pip, core</li> <li>Prepare different fruits</li> <li>Wash fruits thoroughly</li> <li>Use a knife to chop fruit safely on a chopping board</li> <li>Use their hands to peel fruit</li> <li>Use a peeler to peel fruits</li> <li>Recall key hygiene practices when handling food e.g. wash their hands; tie back their hair, wear an apron, ensure work surface and utensils are clean</li> </ul>	<u>Fruit Salads</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop a dish in response to a specific design brief</li> <li>Understand the purpose of a design brief</li> <li>Interpret a design brief</li> <li>Develop ideas through exploration of the different tastes, textures and appearance of fruit</li> <li>Make decisions using a design specification</li> <li>Communicate designs through drawings and discussion</li> <li>Know that fruit forms part of a healthy diet</li> <li>Name common fruits and vegetables</li> <li>Handle, smell and taste them</li> <li>Describe their appearance, taste, texture and aroma: sweet, sour, juicy, soft, hard, crunchy, crisp</li> <li>Identify the different parts: skin, flesh, pip, core</li> <li>Recall country of origin</li> <li>Prepare different fruits</li> <li>Wash fruits thoroughly</li> <li>Use a knife to chop fruit safely on a chopping board</li> <li>Use their hands to peel fruit</li> <li>Use a peeler to peel fruits</li> <li>Grater to grate fruit safely</li> <li>Recognise how condiments can alter the taste of fruit e.g. sauce, syrup, sugar</li> <li>Recall key hygiene practices when handling food e.g. wash their hands; tie back their hair, wear an apron, ensure work surface and utensils are clean</li> <li>Select from a range of fruit and vegetables according to their characteristics (appearance, taste, texture and aroma to create their product)</li> <li>Prepare and assemble chosen fruit to create their product</li> <li>Evaluate how successful the recipe was, the use of foods and equipment</li> </ul>	<u>Dips and dippers</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>evaluate different dips and dippers</li> <li>explain why I need to eat a balance and variety of food groups to stay healthy</li> <li>plan my own appealing dip and dippers</li> <li>follow the food hygiene rules before and whilst making my dip and dippers</li> <li>share some ideas about what our product must include be successful</li> <li>select and use kitchen equipment using my plan to guide me</li> <li>taste different dips and dippers and explain which I like and why</li> <li>tell you the jobs the different food groups do.</li> <li>safely use a range of kitchen equipment to cut, peel, grate and chop ingredients</li> <li>safely prepare ingredients</li> <li>start to think about where different foods come from</li> <li>explain why I should eat more fruit, vegetables and carbohydrates</li> <li>evaluate my dip and dipper</li> <li>Name the countries where different dips come from</li> <li>measure using teaspoons and tablespoons</li> <li>explain how I have met my design criteria</li> </ul>	<u>Super Salad</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop a dish in response to a specific design brief</li> <li>Analyse the design brief</li> <li>Identify the needs, preferences and interests of the target audience</li> <li>Develop ideas through exploration of different recipes, food preparation techniques and taste tests</li> <li>Make decisions using a design specification</li> <li>Communicate their designs through drawings and discussion</li> <li>Recall the different food groups: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fruit/Vegetables</li> <li>Carbohydrates</li> <li>Protein</li> <li>Milk and dairy</li> <li>Fats and sugars</li> </ul> </li> <li>Prepare fruit and vegetables</li> <li>Master techniques introduced in Year 1 and Year 2 using a range of equipment safely e.g. knife, grater</li> <li>Use the claw and bridge technique for cutting</li> <li>Prepare dressings for a salad using a combination of oils, acids and seasonings</li> <li>Measure ingredients using measuring spoons/cups</li> <li>Combine in the correct proportions</li> <li>Add additional fresh and processed ingredients to a salad e.g. croutons, meat, nuts etc</li> <li>Select from a range of suitable ingredients across the food groups according to their characteristics (colour, taste, texture, use) to create their Super Salad</li> <li>Measure and mix ingredients in the correct proportion</li> <li>Evaluate</li> <li>Investigate and analyse a range of existing products</li> <li>Evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and consider the views of others to improve their work</li> </ul>	<u>Making Wraps</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop a recipe response to a specific design brief</li> <li>Analyse the design brief</li> <li>Identify the needs, preferences and interests of the target audience</li> <li>Identify common ingredients of healthy sandwiches</li> <li>Develop ideas through exploration of different tastes and texture differences with different ingredients</li> <li>Develop a design specification to guide their thinking</li> <li>Communicate their designs through drawings and discussion</li> <li>Cooking and nutrition</li> <li>Recall the recommended relative proportions of the different food groups in a balanced diet: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fruit &amp; Vegetables and carbohydrates</li> <li>Protein</li> <li>Fats and dairy</li> </ul> </li> <li>Make/Cooking and nutrition</li> <li>Combine ingredients to make a spread (i.e grains, pulses...)</li> <li>Prepare separate ingredients using appropriate utensils and methods learnt in previous years</li> <li>Measure ingredients to the nearest gram accurately</li> <li>Use a mixing bowl to combine ingredients</li> <li>Select from a range of suitable ingredients across the food groups according to their characteristics (colour, taste, texture, use) to create a chosen product following a design brief</li> <li>Prepare the wrap filling.</li> <li>Evaluate</li> <li>Investigate and analyse a range of existing products</li> <li>Evaluate their ideas and products against their own design criteria and consider the views of others to improve their work</li> </ul>	<u>Seasonal Soup</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop a recipe response to a specific design brief</li> <li>Analyse the design brief</li> <li>Identify the needs, preferences and interests of the target audience</li> <li>Develop ideas through exploration of different recipes, food preparation techniques and taste tests</li> <li>Develop a design specification to guide their thinking</li> <li>Communicate their designs through drawings and discussion</li> <li>Follow and refine a recipe to make soup</li> <li>Use knowledge of a healthy diet, and the different food groups to select which type(s) will be included in their soup.</li> <li>Select autumnal foods to be included in their soup depending upon their texture, appearance and aroma: pumpkin, sweet potato, leek, broccoli, tomato, croutons, cauliflower, potatoes, garlic, onions</li> <li>Understand seasonality and the source of different food products- linked with the Christmas season (see above).</li> <li>Use vegetable preparation techniques developed in previous years.</li> <li>Cook vegetables <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>boiling in a pan</li> <li>roasting in an oven</li> <li>Blend cooked vegetables using a blender</li> <li>Use Seasoning: black pepper, sea-salt, mixed herbs, thyme</li> <li>Re-heat ingredients to prepare to serve soup</li> </ul> </li> <li>To evaluate the success of their recipe – how did it taste? What was the texture like? What could have been improved?</li> <li>To evaluate though the use of a questionnaire gleaning the ideas/opinions of their peers – drawing upon the views of others to improve their work</li> </ul>	<u>Making Bread</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Respond to a specific design brief</li> <li>Research the needs, preferences and interests of the target audience</li> <li>Understand the different food groups</li> <li>Use knowledge of seasonality to select produce for recipe</li> <li>Follow and refine a given recipe</li> <li>Apply food preparation techniques</li> <li>Correctly weigh ingredients in grams, ml, tsp and tbsp quantities</li> <li>Use a range of kitchen utensils correctly</li> <li>Use a range of kitchen utensils safely</li> <li>Understand that scaling a recipe up/down a produces more/less food</li> <li>Evaluate the success of their recipe</li> </ul>
	<u>Pumpkin seed biscuits</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cutting the pumpkin</li> <li>Removing the skin</li> <li>Taking out the seeds</li> <li>Using a blender (children to place in blender and adult to use)</li> <li>Making a dough; mixing ingredients, rolling, cutting shape, putting in oven.</li> </ul>						
	<u>Mince pies</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mixing dried fruit</li> <li>Explaining how and why fruit is dried</li> <li>Making a dough; mixing ingredients, rolling, cutting shape, putting in oven.</li> </ul>						
	<u>Strawberries dipped in melted chocolate</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify the different parts: skin, flesh, pip, core</li> <li>Prepare different fruits</li> <li>Wash fruits thoroughly</li> <li>Use a knife to chop fruit safely on a chopping board</li> <li>Break up and melt chocolate in microwave; mixing regularly</li> </ul>						

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Explain heat changes state of chocolate</li></ul> <p><u>Pancakes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Design pancake topping</li><li>Prepare fruit</li><li>Discuss how a sauce alters the taste of the pancake and the toppings</li><li>Heat pancakes</li></ul> <p><u>Easter chocolate nests</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Crush Weetabix</li><li>Break up and melt chocolate in microwave; mixing regularly</li><li>Explain heat changes state of chocolate</li><li>Decorate creation using Easter sweets</li></ul> <p><u>Pizza</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Chopping vegetables</li><li>Know that vegetables form part of a healthy diet</li><li>Name common vegetables</li><li>Handle, smell and taste them</li><li>Describe their appearance, taste, texture and aroma: sweet, sour, juicy, soft, hard, crunchy, crisp</li><li>Identify the different parts: skin, flesh, pip, core</li><li>Grate cheese</li><li>Decorate pizza</li><li>Cook pizza and explain how the state of the cheese changes when heated</li></ul> <p><u>Problem solving cake</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Independently measure and mix the ingredients</li><li>Cook in the oven</li><li>Share equally</li></ul>					<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>To reflect on the difficulties of making the soup and how one would overcome these difficulties – identify the stages of the make process that they found most challenging.</li><li>Explain why their soup could form part of a healthy diet; identify where they could make further substitutes to increase the nutritional value of the soup.</li><li>Explain why their soup reflects the seasonality of vegetables.</li></ul>	
Structures	<p><u>Cardboard box creations</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Exercising the imagination</li><li>problem-solving</li><li>designing</li><li>communicating</li><li>self-expression</li><li>trial and error</li><li>building knowledge</li><li>holding scissors/cutting</li><li>sticking using tape, glue, and wrapping string</li></ul> <p><u>Junk modelling: London landmarks</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Creating based on a real-life building</li><li>comparing and testing structures and aesthetics</li><li>cutting</li><li>sticking</li></ul>		<p><u>Playground Equipment</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Design, purposeful, functional, appealing products for themselves and other users based on design criteria</li><li>Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through talking, drawing, templates, mock-ups and, where appropriate, information and communication technology</li><li>Select from a use a range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks (for example joining)</li><li>Select from and use a wide range of materials and components, including construction, materials, textiles and ingredients, according to their characteristics</li></ul>		<p><u>Bridges</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Identify various types bridges:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Beam</li><li>Arch</li><li>Truss</li><li>Suspension</li><li>Cantilever</li><li>Cable-stayed</li></ul></li><li>Investigate beams and support</li><li>Investigate the strength of a beam</li><li>Identify various structures</li><li>Drawing diagrams, labelling, observations and findings, investigate and testing.</li><li>Investigation, observations and conclusions</li><li>Investigate and test rigidity of the support of a bridge</li><li>Design a bridge</li></ul>	<p><u>Architecture Project</u></p>	<p><u>Pillars and columns</u></p>

	<u>Bug hotel</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collecting natural resources</li> <li>cutting using saw</li> <li>using hammer and nails</li> <li>designing and creating for a real-life brief</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explore and evaluate a range of existing products</li> <li>Evaluate their ideas and products against design criteria</li> <li>Build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer and more stable</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Make and test the strength of a bridge</li> </ul>		
Textiles	<u>Weaving capes for Supertato</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cutting and tearing fabrics</li> <li>scissor skills</li> <li>attaching/tying fabric to a stable frame</li> <li>using the in/out weaving method</li> </ul> <u>Weaving and threading webs for Stanley the spider</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collecting natural resources</li> <li>tying a knot</li> <li>weaving using the in/out</li> </ul>	<u>Puppets</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop a design in response to a specific design brief</li> <li>Understand the purpose of a design brief</li> <li>Interpret a design brief</li> <li>Practice basic, guided running stich</li> <li>Explore ways of decorating fabric</li> <li>Make decisions using a design specification</li> <li>Communicate designs through drawings and discussion</li> <li>Know that fabric can be joined using different techniques</li> <li>Join fabric together using running stitch (pupils will be provided with the fabric pattern pieces and pre-made holes).</li> <li>Explore and select different decorative techniques including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Applique</li> <li>Fabric paint</li> <li>Embellishments (e.g. sequins, beads, gems).</li> </ul> </li> <li>Select colours for the decorative features with intent.</li> <li>Evaluate the success of their product</li> <li>Compare the product with the design specification.</li> <li>Evaluate the stages of the make process that they found the most difficult.</li> <li>Identify what they like about their product; identify where they would like to improve it.</li> </ul>		<u>Money holder/Wallet</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop a design in response to a specific design brief</li> <li>Analyse the design brief</li> <li>Deconstruct an existing money pouch to identify how it is made</li> <li>Identify the needs, preferences and interests of the target audience</li> <li>Explore different techniques for joining and strengthening fabrics</li> <li>Make decisions using a design specification</li> <li>Use colour, embellishments and textures to include in their product to make it appealing to their target audience.</li> <li>Communicate their designs through drawings and discussion</li> <li>Create prototypes of their product</li> <li>Make pattern pieces</li> <li>Create a paper pattern piece, measuring and marking out to the nearest cm</li> <li>Include seam allowance to allow fabric to be joined (e.g. 1.5cm)</li> <li>Pin the paper pattern to the fabric</li> <li>Use a variety of stitching techniques to join fabric: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Running stitch</li> <li>Over-stich</li> <li>Blanket stitch</li> </ul> </li> <li>Use a variety of finishing techniques: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Embroidery: cross-stitch to create a pattern or initials</li> <li>Applique: meaning “applied” this involves using a method of stitching/gluing patches onto fabric to provide decoration</li> <li>Embellishment: fabric paints, sequins, etc</li> </ul> </li> <li>Select fabrics according to their functional characteristics e.g. strength, and aesthetic qualities e.g. pattern in their final product</li> <li>Use the appropriate stitches to join the pattern pieces together to make a 3D product</li> </ul>			<u>Carrier belt</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To respond to a specific Design Brief</li> <li>To analyse the design brief</li> <li>To research the needs, preferences and interests of the target audience e.g. with a questionnaire</li> <li>To research gaps in the market to design innovative products</li> <li>To examine and deconstruct existing products to identify how they are made and what makes them structurally sound</li> <li>To explore and select different joining techniques to make the product structurally sound</li> <li>To explore and select different cams to create different movements, and change the direction of the movement</li> <li>Develop a design specification to guide thinking</li> <li>To create prototypes of the design</li> <li>To communicate and develop design ideas through discussion, drawing and CAD</li> <li>To propose a step-by-step method for the design</li> <li>Understand how rotary motion can be turned into linear motion</li> <li>Experiment with different shaped CAMS (snail cam, off centre cam, peg cam, pear shaped cam) to create different types of motion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oscillating</li> <li>Reciprocating</li> <li>Linear</li> </ul> </li> <li>Draw out geometric shapes onto wood, ready to cut out- using a set square and ruler where appropriate</li> <li>Cut wood safely and accurately using: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Coping saw</li> <li>Junior hacksaw</li> <li>Drill materials using a hand drill.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Join materials to create the frame for the toy using wood adhesive such as PVA.</li> <li>Evaluate the success of their product</li> <li>Compare the product with the design specification.</li> <li>Evaluate the stages of the make process that they found the most difficult.</li> </ul>

				<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Evaluate the success of their product</li><li>• Compare the product with the design specification.</li><li>• Evaluate the stages of the make process that they found the most difficult.</li><li>• Identify what they like about their product; identify where they would like to improve it.</li></ul>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Identify what they like about their product; identify where they would like to improve it.</li></ul>
Mechanisms		<p><u>Moving Pictures</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Develop a design in response to a specific design brief</li><li>• Understand the purpose of a design brief</li><li>• Interpret a design brief</li><li>• Explore and make different mechanisms that could be used in the product</li><li>• Make decisions using a design specification</li><li>• Communicate designs through drawings and discussion</li><li>• Know that a mechanism is a device used to create movement in a product: sliders and levers are examples of mechanisms</li><li>• Know that:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ A Lever is a rigid bar which moves around a pivot.</li><li>◦ A Slider is a rigid bar which moves back and forth, or up and down along a straight line. Unlike a lever, a slider does not have a pivot point.</li><li>◦ A wheel mechanism is a circular mechanism that spins around one pivot point.</li></ul></li><li>• Make a lever: make a small hole for the pivot by pushing a pencil through card into plasticine (or equivalent)</li><li>• Make a slider: make guides/bridges using strips of card fixed with masking tape</li><li>• Cut card safely using scissors provided.</li><li>• Create a moving image using a lever mechanism and slider mechanism.</li><li>• Explore who and what products are for, how they work and are used, what materials they are made from and what they like and dislike about them.</li><li>• Students can explore objects and designs to identify likes and dislikes of the designs.</li><li>• Students can identify which mechanism is used to create a pre-made moving picture (slider, lever, wheel).</li></ul>	<p><u>Moving Vehicles</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Develop a design in response to a specific brief</li><li>• Make and explore different wheel mechanisms and the effect on motion</li><li>• Identify the preferences and interests of their target audience</li><li>• Use a specification to help them make decisions and design their product</li><li>• Use colour, prints, images and textures to include in their product to make it appealing to their target audience.</li><li>• Communicate their ideas through drawings</li><li>• Know the parts of a moving vehicle:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ Axle: a rod on which one or more wheels can rotate</li><li>◦ Axle holder: the component through which the axle fits and rotates freely</li><li>◦ Chassis: the frame or base on which a vehicle is built</li></ul></li><li>• Make different types of wheels:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ To make wheels that are fixed to an axle and rotate with the axle</li><li>◦ To make wheels that are fixed loosely to the axle and can rotate</li></ul></li><li>• Make three types of moving axles, using different axle holders:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ Using clothes pegs</li><li>◦ Using card triangles</li><li>◦ Using plastic straws</li></ul></li><li>• Attach wheels to axle in two different ways: using glue and using a stopper</li><li>• Make simple judgements about their products and ideas against design criteria</li></ul>	<p><u>Puppets</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Develop a design in response to a specific design brief</li><li>• Analyse the design brief</li><li>• Research existing puppets to see how they are made and how they move</li><li>• Identify the needs, preferences and interests of the target audience</li><li>• Explore different lever and linkage mechanisms</li><li>• Make decisions using a design specification</li><li>• Communicate their designs through drawings and discussion</li><li>• Create a design that uses colours, textures and decoration that will appeal to the target audience</li><li>• Create prototypes of the product using paper and card</li><li>• Draw their final design using Computer-aided design (CAD)</li><li>• Make different lever and linkage mechanisms:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ Linear</li><li>◦ Reciprocating</li><li>◦ Rotary</li><li>◦ Oscillating</li></ul></li><li>• Use lever and linkage mechanisms (linear, reciprocating and oscillating) to make different pivots:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ Loose pivot: join card strips together using a paper fastener</li><li>◦ Fixed pivot: a fastener is used to join card strips to the backing</li></ul></li><li>• Make holes for pivot points using sharp pencil plasticine/blu tac</li><li>• Place pivot points accurately to create desired effect</li><li>• Know that systems have an input, process and an output:</li><li>• In a lever and linkage mechanism, the ‘input movement’ is where the user pushes or pulls a card strip.</li><li>• The ‘output movement’ is where one or more parts of the picture/object moves</li></ul>			

Electrical Systems					<u>Night Lights</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Develop a design in response to a specific design brief</li><li>• Analyse the design brief</li><li>• Identify the preferences, needs and interests of the target audience</li><li>• Explore existing night-lights to take inspirations from their external design</li><li>• Explore and make an electrical circuit with a switch</li><li>• Explore and select materials based upon their properties to make the shade for the product</li><li>• Explore and select the 3D shape for the shade</li><li>• Select colours, textures and designs to appeal to the target audience</li><li>• Create prototypes of the product using paper and card</li><li>• Draw final design using Computer-aided design (CAD)</li><li>• Understand that a circuit must be complete to function</li><li>• To build a simple circuit that includes a battery pack, switch and a light bulb</li><li>• Secure the circuit to a base</li><li>• To create a simple switch:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Paper clips</li><li>○ Paper fasteners</li><li>○ Tin foil on card</li></ul></li><li>• To make a fabric cube shade:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Make square paper patterns (use a ruler)-leave 1.5cm</li><li>○ Pin the paper patterns to felt</li><li>○ Cut round the paper patterns with fabric scissors</li><li>○ Mark the seam allowance on the felt</li><li>○ Add embellishment to the shade using sequins, felt pieces and paints</li><li>○ Stich five squares together using running stitch or backstitch</li></ul></li></ul>	<u>Alarming Vehicles</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Develop a design specification for a functional product that responds automatically to changes in the environment.</li><li>• Generate, develop and communicate ideas through discussion, annotated sketches and pictorial representations of electrical circuits or circuit diagrams.</li><li>• Formulate a step-by-step plan to guide making, listing tools, equipment, materials and components.</li><li>• Competently select and accurately assemble materials, and securely connect electrical components to produce a reliable, functional product.</li><li>• Create and modify a computer control program to enable their electrical product to respond to changes in the environment.</li><li>• Continually evaluate and modify the working features of the product to match the initial design specification.</li><li>• Test the system to demonstrate its effectiveness for the intended user and purpose.</li><li>• Understand and use electrical systems in their products.</li><li>• Understand the use of computer control systems in products.</li><li>• Apply their understanding of computing to program, monitor and control their products.</li><li>• Know and use technical vocabulary relevant to the project.</li></ul>	